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TAGS: CIVIL, OTHER, AF

SUBJ: TRAVEL TO AFGHANISTAN

REF: KATHMANDU 3250 (MUTAL)

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1. ACCORDING MFA KABUL, ALL AFGHAN EMBASSIES AND CONSULATES NOW

AUTHORIZED ISSUE VISAS TO USG OFFICIALS AND ALL RESPECTABLE

AMERICAN TOURISTS POSSESSING SUFFICIENT FUNDS, BUT (QUOTE)

NOT RPT NOT TO HIPPIES (UNQUOTE). AMCONSUL PESHAWAR TEL 029

(MUTAL) REPORTS THAT THREE TYPICAL AMERICAN WORLD TRAVELERS

WERE TOLD BY AFGHAN CONSUL THEY COULD NOT OBTAIN DESIRED

VISAS UNTIL THEY CUT THEIR HAIR AND MADE SHIRTS LOOK

PRESENTABLE. AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI REPORTS AFGHAN EMBASSY

ISSUING VISAS.

2. FOR TEHRAN: IS AFGHAN EMBASSY NOW ISSUING VISAS?

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